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County proposes sale of Eloise Property

The Eloise Complex in Westland will be sold by Wayne County if a plan for consolidation of all county offices and services proposed by Wayne County Executive Warren C. Evans is finalized.

Evans announced the plans last week noting that the effort could eventually save nearly $3 million annually in rent and maintenance costs and increase efficiency in services provided by the county.

The plan was proposed and is supported by a report produced by O'Keefe & Associates, which outlined how to better manage the county real estate holdings. The report examined how to reduce costs, better use existing properties, identify potential properties that could be sold, and reduce long-term liabilities.

> *Wayne County Executive Warren C. Evans announced the plans last week...*

"This is the first time Wayne County has done a systematic review of its owned and leased properties," Evans said. "This report is another tool for making rational decisions on ways to cut costs and help to eliminate the county's budget deficit. "

The first step in realizing the cost savings of consolidation will be the relocation of staff from 640 Temple to the Guardian Building, Evans said. Additionally, 18 leased county facilities, encompassing almost 750,000 square feet of space, are also in review for possible consolidation.

"Rationalizing the county's real estate holdings is an important continuation of my effort to reduce county expenditures begun with the hiring freeze I recently announced," Evans said. "With the county's current dire financial state, my office is immediately implementing opportunities to reduce county expenditures while preserving essential services."

The Eloise Complex, at 30712 Michigan Ave. should be sold and the property returned to local tax rolls, according to the report. The barn, greenhouses, gardens and grounds at the Regional Educational Service Agency (RESA) facility in Wayne should be sold or turned over to the Wayne County RESA, according to the report.

Eloise was a large hospital complex located in Nankin Township. The name stemmed from the post office on the grounds which opened July 20, 1894 and was named Eloise after the postmaster of Detroit's daughter, Eloise Dickerson Davock. Eloise operated from 1839 to the early 1984 and started out as a poor house and farm but developed into an asylum and hospital.

In 1832 it was called the Wayne County Poorhouse; in 1872 it was the Wayne County

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Sweet treats... Annual county marshmallow drop is tomorrow

More than 20,000 marshmallows will fall from the sky into the hands of waiting children at 11 a.m. tomorrow during the 31st Annual Marshmallow Drop by the Wayne County Parks Department

"The annual Marshmallow Drop is the start of many fun, free, family-oriented events offered by Wayne County Parks each year and I am happy we can provide these opportunities for our residents and visitors," said Wayne County Executive Warren Evans. "Going on 31 years, it has become a tradition for families from across the metro Detroit area," Evans added.

The marshmallows will be dropped from the Easter Bunny's helicopter while children in the park scramble to collect the confections and trade them in to receive prizes.

To ensure that everyone has an opportunity to fully participate, children will be divided into age groups, 4 years old and younger, 5 - 7 years old and 8 - 12 years old. There will be one colored marshmallow to be found for each of the age groups. The finder of the colored marshmallow will receive an extra special prize, organizers said.

Nankin Mills is located at 33175 Ann Arbor Trail in Westland.

The Marshmallow Drop is the first of many fun-filled, warm weather events planned by Wayne County Parks for 2015, a spokesperson added.

For more information on Marshmallow Drop or any other Wayne County Parks event, call (734) 261-1990 or visit www.parks.waynecounty.com .

The Wayne County Parks Marshmallow Drop is co-sponsored by Trenton Parks and Recreation, ITC Holdings, Taylor Ford, Flagstar Bank, Zeal Credit Union, KSP Insurance, UAW Region 1A, N Zone Sports, Jack Demmer Ford, Wayne County Community College and Friends of Wayne County Parks.

State police investigate violent Inkster arrest

Inkster Police Chief Vickie Yost has turned the investigation of a much-publicized violent drug arrest over to the Michigan State Police while continuing a department review of the incident.

Police videotapes of the arrest of Floyd Dent, a 57-year-old Detroit resident, were broadcast last week, showing Inkster Ofc. William Melendez pulling Dent from his vehicle and striking him about the head with his fists 16-18 times. Dent, according to official police reports, ran a stop sign in the area of South River Park Drive and Inkster Drive at about 10 p.m. Jan 28. He allegedly did not immediately respond as the officers attempted to make a traffic stop but drove another four blocks. When Dent did pull over, he opened his car door as officers approached his 2011 Cadillac with guns drawn. Police reports indicate that Dent made a verbal threat against the officers as he opened the car door, prompting their defensive actions, an allegation Dent and his attorney, Gregory Rohl of Novi, strongly deny.

> *Dent, according to official police reports, ran a stop sign.*

The videotape, which has gone viral on the internet, shows Melendez pulling Dent from the car, executing and maintaining a choke hold on Dent while continuing to strike him in the head. Dent is using his right arm in an apparent attempt to shield

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United Way announces 2014 grant recipients

Lorraine Zaksek finds herself repeating the story of a family excited about celebrating Thanksgiving and Christmas at a table in their home this year instead of on a bed in a hotel room.

Zaksek credits a grant from Plymouth Community United Way for making the holiday celebration possible for a family that was homeless before they found help from a program at the St. John Neumann Conference of St. Vincent de Paul, which is helped by the local United Way group.

"If someone is homeless we can put them in a hotel until we can find other accommodations," said Zaksek, second vice-president and outgoing president of St. John Neumann Conference. "We provide food, assistance with transportation. We're helping families maintain transportation to keep their jobs and gain their independence."

Plymouth Community United Way (PCUW) recently announced a total of $469,039 in allocations, grants and designations to organizations that provided basic needs, education and human services in Plymouth, Canton and Western Wayne County in 2014.

St. Vincent de Paul societies at St. John Neumann and Resurrection churches in Canton Township received money to help

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Firefighters save resident from burning home

The quick actions of Inkster firefighters were able to save the life of a 35-year-old man trapped in a house fire last week.

According to Inkster Fire Chief John D. Adams, the alarm came into the department at about 7:55 a.m. last Tuesday reporting a fire at 3106 Moore St. The property is located south of the Inkster Fire Station, Adams said, and firefighters could see a thick, dark column of smoke as they arrived with lights and sirens blazing at the address.

While enroute to the home, responding firefighters received word that a man was trapped in the home while another had jumped from a bedroom window to escape the blaze. The house was fully engulfed in flames with heavy black smoke pouring through the front windows, according to official reports of the blaze.

Firefighters immediately performed a knock down to facilitate the rescue of the 35-year- old man who was located in a rear bedroom. The patient was lifeless and did not have a pulse when firefighters placed him in the rescue vehicle, Adams, who was on the scene, said.

"Our firefighter/paramedics along with assistance from our fire inspector who drove the ambulance to the hospital were able to reestablish his breathing. The patient had on two occasions gone into a Pulseless electrical activity rhythm (PEA) due to his extreme exposure to carbon monoxide from the heavy smoke," Adams said. Upon arrival at the hospital the Inkster paramedics had been able to stabilize the patient and he was breathing and had a pulse.

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"A great save on their part considering how long he was in that toxic environment," Adams said. The man is now in stable condition at Detroit Receiving Hospital, Adams reported last week.

Inkster firefighters were assisted by Mutual Aid partners from Garden City and Westland who arrived during the rescue phase and assisted in the extinguishment operations which had been under way for about an hour and a half, Adams said.

The fire appeared to have started in the basement and traveled up to the attic through the duct work, he said.

"Overall our crews did an exceptional job to save that resident and put the fire out. The total operation took 4 hours from start to finish," Adams, who remained on site for the entire operation, said.

"It was extremely fortunate that the fire came in during a shift change," he said. "Had that not been the case we would have not had the manpower of two shifts to facilitate such a quick rescue of the resident.

"On another side note, well into the operation our firefighters located a small dog and with some oxygen resuscitated him. He was reunited with the 77-year-old man who had earlier jumped from the window," Adams added. He said the senior citizen suffered only minor injuries and was not transported to the hospital.

Killers of 2-year-old receive life sentences

The two men who killed a 2-year-old child on the porch of an Inkster home will spend the rest of their lives in prison.

Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Ulysses Boykin sentenced the pair, Raymone Bernard Jackson and Raphael Daniel-Jordan Hearn, both of Inkster, to mandatory life in prison.

Boykin told the court at the sentencing, "This is one of the most heinous crimes I have ever seen in my 45 years in the legal profession."

The two were convicted of first-degree murder in the death of KaMiya Gross who was killed in July of 2014. The toddler was shot in the head at point-blank range in front of her father, Kenneth French, who was also wounded. A 12-year-old was also shot in the incident but both French and the girl, now 13, recovered from their injuries.

French told the court that the shooting was in retaliation against him for an incident that took place previously at a club where he was working security.

He said that Jackson shot the child at the behest of Hearn who wanted him to see his child die as revenge for the earlier incident.

"Mr. Hearn was the one who encouraged Mr. Jackson to commit these crimes said Assistant Wayne County Prosecutor Jaimie Powell Horowitz.

Hearn was also convicted of charges including two counts of assault with intent to murder.

The two do not have the possibility of parole.

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himself from Melendez' blows, preventing a second officer from handcuffing Dent's arms behind his back. Dent struggles against having his arm restrained and Melendez continues to pound his head with his fist. The three continue to struggle on the ground as a third officer arrives on the scene, kicks Dent and a fourth officer Tasers him in the thigh and stomach as he is being handcuffed.

Officers claim Dent was in an area known for drug trafficking and that they found drugs under the front seat of his car during a search after the struggle.

Dent and his attorney claim the officers planted the drugs and that they have additional video not yet made public showing that action by officers.

Dent said he was hospitalized for two days as a result of the injuries he suffered in the incident, including a fractured eye socket. He was originally charged with assault, resisting arrest and possession of cocaine. After a review of the arrest videotape, 22nd District Court Judge Sabrina Johnson dismissed the assault and resisting arrest charges. Dent faced a court hearing on the drug charge in circuit court yesterday. The results of that hearing were not available at press time.

Yost said last week during a citizens' protest at Inkster City Hall that the department would "not hide from" the investigation.

"It's an ongoing investigation and we're waiting for the results of the investigation," Yost said. "We're not scared of the facts. We'll follow them wherever they go and we'll take the appropriate action."

She confirmed that Melendez, the officer seen striking Dent, is not assigned to street patrol as the department and state police investigation proceeds. Unconfirmed reports said that he was placed on administrative leave.

Michigan State Police Lt. Michael Shaw confirmed the ongoing state investigation into the incident.

Inkster man is millionaire

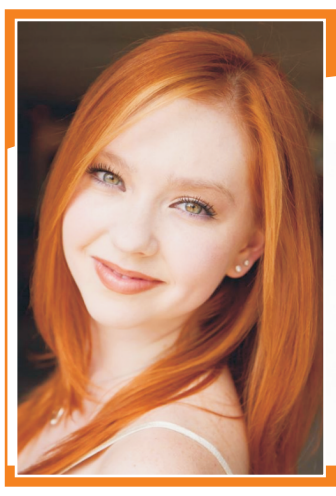
Steven Cosby, Jr. of Inkster has about a million reasons to continue to play Powerball.

Cosby won $1 million earlier this month when the ticket he purchased matched five numbers drawn in the lottery, 11-17-25-28 and 46 although he did not get the final Powerball number.

Cosby said he plans to purchase a new Mercedes, a car his has dreamt about since his teens, and to buy each of his parents a car. He also hopes to take a vacation to visit other family members and to invest the rest of his new-found wealth.

Cosby said it was a long weekend, knowing he had the winning ticket but not being able to contact the lottery officials to redeem the prize. Cosby said he still is in shock and won't actually believe his good fortune until the money is in his bank account.

He purchased the winning ticket in Wayne at Mitch's Party Store which will receive a cash prize for selling the ticket.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Council rejects no raise proposal from commission

Members of the Wayne City Council, facing a $2 million deficit budget next year, and an unsolved current budget shortfall, still want to be consulted about their wages for serving as elected officials.

A proposal from the Local Officers Compensation Commission to keep the current pay rates in place was soundly defeated by a vote of the council members earlier this month. Currently, city council members are paid $2,850 and the mayor is paid $3,192 annually.

During discussion of the formal recommendation from the commission members, council members complained that they had not been interviewed or allowed any input into the decision of the commission members. Councilman John Rhaesa was vocal in his objection to the decision of the citizens committee complaining about the lack of council input into the recommendation. The seven member city commission meets every other year to consider the remuneration of all city officials.

This year, the recommendation was for no change in the annual pay. Rhaesa said that the commission members should have spoken to the council "to see how to better equip the council in the future." Rhaesa said he wasn't suggesting a pay raise, but that the commission members need to understand the scope of the elected officials' work. He suggested that the commission needed to be made aware of all the meetings he and others attend and that the mayor often pays the costs of attending meetings in other communities.

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Mayor James Hawley said that he felt it would be appropriate to look at the qualifications of those on the compensation commission. He said that the number of events the elected officials are expected to attend should be considered and that while the commission recommendation mentioned the current budget, the city doesn't yet have a budget for next year.

Budget cuts and spending reductions, including a reduction in several city services, staff layoffs and the closing of the community center have been central to city council discussions for several months in an effort to close the financial gap. Recently, the city hired an outside consultant to help analyze the budget and help make the cuts necessary to balance city spending with reduced tax revenue.

Councilman David James said that it costs members of the council more than the annual stipend to serve each year. James said he wasn't looking for a raise, but that more information was needed, prompting his vote to reject the commission recommendation. Councilman Al Damitio agreed and said that when he served on the compensation commission many years ago, the members talked to council about the recommendation. Damitio, however, cast the single no vote on the proposal to reject the commission recommendation.

City Clerk Matthew Miller said that he was unsure of how to proceed as the council members are asked only to vote to accept and file the recommendation of the commission. It requires a two-thirds majority vote to reject any pay rate recommended, which occurred at the meeting.

Eloise

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Alms House; in 1886 it was referred to simply as the Wayne County House. In 1913 there were three divisions: The Eloise Hospital (a mental hospital), the Eloise Infirmary (poorhouse) and the Eloise Sanitarium (a tuberculosis hospital) which were collectively called Eloise. In 1945 it was named Wayne County General Hospital and Infirmary at Eloise, Michigan.

In 1974 it had two divisions - the Wayne County General Hospital and the Wayne County Psychiatric Hospital. The psychiatric division closed in 1977 and in 1979 it was officially called Wayne County General Hospital. At its prime, Eloise consisted of 78 buildings and 902 acres of land. Now only ruins, sewer lids with Eloise Hospital engraved on them, four of the 78 buildings and the Eloise Cemetery remain on the property, still owned by Wayne County.

Today the land that once was Eloise has been developed into a strip mall, a golf course, and condominiums. There are only two buildings currently in use. One is "D" Building or the Kay Beard Building. At one time this was an administration building and it was also used for psychiatric admissions and apartments for some employees like the Catholic chaplain. The old commissary building is currently being used as a family homeless shelter.

O'Keefe also reviewed county parks and Department of Public Service and Drain Commission facilities. It did not issue a recommendation for the DPS and Drain Commission facilities "because they are functionally necessary for the operations of these departments."

The report didn't analyze the marketability of any of the parks and has no conclusions with respect to their use, future use, disposition or otherwise with two exceptions - Warren Valley Golf Course and Banquet Center in Dearborn Heights and the Inkster Valley Golf Course in Inkster. The report stated that "a determination should be made on whether these should be privatized by the county."

Wings charity game gets $30,000 for arena

They may have lost the game, again, but they scored big for the community.

When the Wild Wings, led by Westland Mayor William Wild, took on the Detroit Red Wings Alunmi team for the sixth annual game, they suffered an 11-4 defeat. The event, however, generated nearly $30,000 for improvements and repairs to the Mike Modano Ice Arena where the contest took place.

More than 1,000 people crowded into the building to watch the game and participate in some of the contests and raffles.

"Even though the Wild Wings did not take home a victory this year, the event is considered a great success," Wild said. "This game is not only a great opportunity to bring the community together, but it also raises much needed funds for improvements to the Mike Modano Ice Arena."

The funding generated includes a $10,000 contribution by former Red Wing and Westland resident Mike Modano for whom the arena is named.

"We are honored to host the Red Wings Alumni every year," Wild said. "Without all of you, this game would not be possible."

Charter Township of Canton
Board Proceedings –March 24, 2015

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton was held Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at 1150 Canton Center S., Canton, Michigan. Supervisor LaJoy called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to move from open session to closed session at 6:04 p.m. to discuss pending litigation. Motion carried by all members present. **Roll Call** Members Present: Bennett, LaJoy, McLaughlin, Sneideman, Williams. Members Absent: Anthony, Yack . Staff Present: Director Bilbrey-Honsowetz, Director Mutchler, Director Trumbull, Kristin Kolb. Guest Present: James R. Acho, Esq., of Cummings, McClorey, Davis, & Acho, P.L.C. 33900 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150. **6:04 P.M.: CLOSED SESSION – TO DISCUSS PENDING LITIGATION** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to move from closed session to open session at 7:00 p.m. where pending litigation was discussed. Motion carried by all members present. Supervisor LaJoy reconvened the Open Meeting at 7:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. **Roll Call**: Members Present: Bennett, LaJoy, McLaughlin, Williams, Sneideman Members Absent: Anthony, Yack Staff Present: Director Bilbrey-Honsowetz, Director Faas, Director Mutchler, Director Trumbull, Kristin Kolb, Kristen Thomas **Adoption of Agenda** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to amend the agenda to remove General Calendar Item G-6 Consider Approval of the Final Site Plan for Links Estates Condominiums and replace it with pending litigation action from closed session. Motion carried by all members present. **Approval of Minutes** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the Board Minutes of February 24, 2015 as presented. Motion carried by all members present. **Citizen's Non-Agenda Item Comments:** George Miller, 1946 Briarfield, asked the townships plans for the Mung Dump since it was purchased. Director Faas explained the former Mung Dump is currently being used as an access road for development work at the Sauk Trail Hills Landfill. Mr. Miller asked if there are future plans for this when the project is completed. Supervisor LaJoy explained not at this time. Katie Campbell from Congressman Dave Trott's office introduced herself. She explained, as Representative Trott's staff member, she will be attending Canton Township Board meetings quarterly. She will also be attending several Library board meetings. She extended an offer to assist Canton Residents with any concerns they might have within the scope of his office. **Payment of Bills** Motion by McLaughlin, supported by Sneideman to approve payment of the bills as presented. Motion carried by all members present. **PUBLIC HEARING: Hold a Public Hearing for the 2015 Sidewalk Repair Program** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to open the Public Hearing to hear comments on the necessity of sidewalk repairs pursuant to the Township Sidewalk Ordinance, Sidewalk Repair Program Policy and as provided in Public Act 80 of the Public Acts of 1989 at 7:05 p.m. Motion carried by all members present. There was no Public Comment made at the Public Hearing. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to close the Public Hearing on the necessity of sidewalk repairs to the Township Sidewalk Ordinance, Sidewalk Repair Program Policy and as provided in Public Act 80 of the Public Acts of 1989 at 7:07 p.m. Motion carried by all members present. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt the following resolution requiring replacement of sidewalks in Canton Township. Motion carried by all members present. **RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON Resolution Approving 2015 Sidewalk Repair Program Parcel List** Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to adopt the replacement of sidewalks pursuant to the Township Sidewalk Ordinance and Sidewalk Repair Program Policy Provided in Public Act 80 of the Public Acts of 1989 in Forest Trails, Hampton Court, Hampton Court West, Mayfair Village #1 & #2, Windsor Park #1 - #7 and Miscellaneous locations as indicated on the attached list and published in the Canton Eagle on March 5 & March 19, 2015._____Terry G. Bennett, Canton Township Clerk **CONSENT CALENDAR: Item C-1. Appointment To Downtown Development Authority Board. (Supv)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the Canton Township Board of Trustees appointment of Tawuann Gray to serve on the Board of Directors of the Downtown Development Authority of the Charter Township of Canton for a four-year term ending March 24, 2019. Motion carried by all members present. **Item C-2. Appointment to Planning Commission Board. (Supv)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the Canton Township Board of Trustees appoint Julia Perkins to serve on the Planning Commission for a three–year term which will expire on December 31, 2017. Motion carried by all members present. **Item C-3.Re-Appointments to the Historic District Commission. (Clerk)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the Township Supervisor's recommendation for reappointment of Terry Bennett and Katherine Martin to the Canton Historic District Commission for three year terms effective through April 30, 2018. Motion carried by all members present. **Item C-4.Set Public Hearing Date for Fraza Forklifts (GB Sales and Service, Inc.) Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate. (Supv)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams set the public hearing for April 28, 2015, to consider the Industrial Facilities Exemption application of Fraza Forklifts for new real and personal property at their facility located at 6865 Commerce Drive. Motion carried by all members present. **Item C-5. Set Public Hearing Date for G-TAC Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate. (Supv)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to set the public hearing for April 28, 2015, to consider the Industrial Facilities Exemption application of G-TAC for new real and personal property at their facility located at 7075 Commerce Drive. Motion carried by all members present. **Item C-6. Consider 6 Month Extension to the Approval of the Tentative Preliminary Plat for Sheldon Estates Subdivision. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve of another 6 month extension for the approval of the tentative preliminary plat for Sheldon Estates Subdivision to be located on Sheldon Road between Palmer and Cherry Hill Roads on tax EDP No. 085-99-0005-701, until October 23, 2015. Motion carried by all members present. **Item C-7.Consider Purchase Order Amendment for 2015 Tree Maintenance Contract. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to amend Purchase order No. 2015-00000547 for the 2015 Tree Maintenance Program to Crimboli Nursery for a not to exceed amount of $13,000. Motion carried by all members present. **Item C-8. Resolution Declaring April Fair Housing Month. (Supv)** Motion by Bennett, Supported by Williams to adopt the following resolution designating the Month of April as "Fair Housing Month" in Canton Township. Motion carried by all members present. **RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON Resolution Declaring the Month of April as "Fair Housing Month" in Canton Township WHEREAS,** the year 2015 marks the 47th anniversary of the passage of the Federal Fair Housing Act: Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended; and **WHEREAS,** this law guarantees that housing throughout the United States should be made available to all citizens without regard to race, color, religion, sex, family status, disability or national origin; and **WHEREAS,** equality of opportunity for all is a fundamental policy of this nation, state and township; and **WHEREAS,** barriers which diminish the rights and limit the options of any citizen will ultimately diminish the rights of all citizens. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Charter Township of Canton Board of Trustees designates the month of April 2015 as "Fair Housing Month" in Canton Township. We encourage the residents of our community to join in this observance. Date: March 24, 2015 Philip J. LaJoy, Canton Supervisor **Item C-9 2015 Dust Control Program for Local Gravel Roads. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to award a contract to Bay Dust Control Division of Liquid Calcium Chloride Sales, Inc. to provide Canton's 2015 dust control program for an amount not to exceed $16,000. Motion carried by all members present. **GENERAL CALENDAR: Item G-1.Consider Approval of Budget Amendments for 2015 Sidewalk Repair Program. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to amend the budget to cover the 2015 neighborhood replacement for the sidewalk repair program by increasing the budget for Maintenance & Repairs of Sidewalks, account # 101-447-03.930_0050 to $353,521 and increasing Fees-Sidewalk Replacement account #101-000.626 to $353,521. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-2 Consider Extending the Contract with the Mannik & Smith Group, Inc. for Inspection Services for the 2015 Sidewalk Repair Program and Approve a Budget Amendment. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to transfer funds from the General Fund, Engineering account (Utilities Inspector Labor account 101-447-50.705_0010) to the Engineering, Right-of-Way (ROW) Professional and Contractual Services account (101-447-03.801_0050) in the amount of $40,339.20. Motion carried by all members present. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to award a contract under our Master Services Agreement for the 2015 Sidewalk Repair Program Inspection Services to the Mannik & Smith Group, Inc. based on a not-to-exceed amount of $40,339.20 from the Engineering, Right-of-Way (ROW) Professional and Contractual Services account (101-447-03.801_0050) in the amount of $40,339.20. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-3.Consider Approval Of A Quit Claim Deed To Extinguish A Right Of Reverter Held By The Township For Property Owned By Connection Church. (Supv)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to authorize the Township Supervisor and Clerk to sign a Quit Claim Deed returning to Connection Church the Township's reverter right in the property located adjacent to the church at 3855 Sheldon Road, being parcel no. 71-108-99-0001-701. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-4.Consider Final Approval of the Antioch Connection PDD Agreement and Site Plan for Antioch Senior Housing, including Approval of the Private Road. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt the following resolution giving final approval of the Antioch Connection Senior Housing PDD Agreement and Site Plan. Motion carried by all members present. **RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON Final Approval of the Antioch Connection Senior Housing PDD Agreement and Site Plan WHEREAS,** the Project Sponsor has requested final approval for the Antioch Connection Planned Development and the site plan for an assisted living facility, located east of Sheldon between Palmer Road and Michigan Avenue on a portion of parcel 108-99-0001-706; and, **WHEREAS,** the Planning Commission voted to recommend final approval of the PDD and the site plan for the facility and private road based on the findings that the proposed development plan is consistent with the goals and objectives of the Comprehensive Plan; and, **WHEREAS,** the Board has reviewed the planned development and site plan and determines the proposal to be consistent with the Zoning Ordinance regulations and development objectives subject to the conditions outlined in the Planning Commission recommendation and recommendations attached hereto and made a part hereof. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, Michigan does hereby grant final approval of the PDD and site plan for the Antioch Connection Assisted Living Facility and private road, as the proposal provides needed housing and care opportunities for Canton's senior citizens and increases the tax base of the township on property that would be otherwise tax-exempt; subject to all other applicable requirements of the township. **Item G-5. Consider Approval of the Site Plan for Black Rock Restaurant. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to adopt the following resolution approving the Site Plan for Black Rock Restaurant. Motion carried by all members present. **RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON Approval of the Site Plan for Black Rock Restaurant WHEREAS,** the Project Sponsor has requested site plan approval for Black Rock Restaurant located on south side of Ford Road between Haggerty and Lilley Roads on tax parcel no. 053-99-0003-001; and, **WHEREAS,** the Planning Commission voted to recommend approval of the site plan based on the findings that the proposed development plan is consistent with the goals and objectives of the Comprehensive plan and zoning regulations; and, **WHEREAS,** the Board has reviewed the request for site plan approval and determines the proposal to be consistent with the Zoning Ordinance regulations and development objectives subject to the conditions described in the analysis and Planning Commission recommendations; **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, Michigan does hereby approve the Site Plan for Black Rock Restaurant compliance with any conditions contained herein and all other regulations of the Township. **Item G-6. Removed original Item G-6 Consider Approval of the Final Site Plan for Links Estates Condominiums. Replaced with: Consideration of Board Action on Attorney's Recommendation Regarding Pending Litigation** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve, in the matter of John Wood v Canton Township pending in 35th District Court, the proposed settlement with the Plaintiff, and further authorize the Township Supervisor to sign any documents necessary to effect resolution of this pending lawsuit on behalf of Canton Township. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-7. Consider Site Plan Approval for Panera Bread Michigan Avenue. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to adopt the following resolution for the Site Plan for Panera Bread. Motion carried by all members present. **RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON Site Plan for Panera Bread WHEREAS,** the Project Sponsor, Mr. Patrick Bennett, has requested site plan approval for Panera Bread to be located on Michigan Avenue between Beck and Belleville Roads, identified as tax EDP # 132-99-0002-002; and, **WHEREAS** the Planning Commission reviewed the site plan and made a recommendation to approve the request to grant site plan approval, as summarized in the attached written analysis and recommendation. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, Michigan does hereby approve the request of the petitioner, Mr. Patrick Bennett, to approve the site plan for the proposed Panera Bread subject to any and all state and local development regulations and further subject to any conditions recommended by the Planning Commission and staff, as described in the analysis and recommendation attached hereto and made a part hereof. **Item G-8. Consider First Reading of an Amendment to Appendix A of the Code of Ordinances for the TDM/Canton Township Rezoning. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to introduce and hold the first reading of the proposed amendment to the zoning map found in Appendix A of the Code of Ordinances for the TDM/Canton Township Rezoning as provided in the complete text of this ordinance available at the Clerk's Office of the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI., 48188, during regular business hours. Motion carried by all members present. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to table consideration of the amendment for a second reading on April 14, 2015. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-9. Consider Final Approval of the Planned Development Agreement and Approval of the Preliminary Site Plan for Westbury Estates. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the following resolution giving final approval of the PDD agreement and Preliminary Site Plan approval for Westbury Estates. Motion carried by all members present. **RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON Final Approval of the PDD Agreement and Preliminary Site Plan Approval for Westbury Estates WHEREAS,** the Project Sponsor has requested final approval of the Planned Development and Preliminary Site plan approval for Westbury Estates, located south of Joy Road and west of Beck Road on parcel nos. 017-99-0001-713 and 017-99-0001-723; and, **WHEREAS,** the Planning Commission voted to recommend approval based on the findings that the proposed development agreement and site plan is consistent with the goals and objectives of the Comprehensive Plan; and, **WHEREAS,** the Board has reviewed the planned development and site plan and determines the proposal to be consistent with the Zoning Ordinance regulations and development objectives subject to the conditions outlined in the Planning Commission recommendation and recommendations attached hereto and made a part hereof. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, Michigan does hereby grant final approval of the PDD and preliminary site plan approval for Westbury Estates, subject to adding two bollard lights at the intersection of the walking paths and the road, as it provides a naturalized forested park area in the southern portion of the development, enhanced landscape plantings throughout the plan, creation of useable open space with pathways and park amenities, provision of 40% open space, and upgraded building materials and architectural design for the proposed homes. **Item G-10. Consider Approval of an Agreement with the Michigan Department of Transportation to Install a Decorative Fence on the Future Pedestrian Pathway along Ford Road at I-275. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the agreement with MDOT (Job No. 116524A, Contract 14-5625) and authorize the Township Supervisor and Clerk to sign the agreement for the fence upgrade along the Ford Road pedestrian path at I-275. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-11. Consider Approval of a 2015 Budget Amendment for City View XML Web Services Extension License for Integration with the Selectron IVR. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve a budget amendment to pay for licensing, services and maintenance for the City View software to integrate with the Selectron software in an amount of $8,260 by increasing revenues: transfer from fund balance Account #101- 000.621_0001 by $8,260; and by increasing expenses: Capital Outlay Computers & Equipment Account #101-372.970_0010 by $8,260. Motion carried by all members present. Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve a purchase order to MS-Govern for the CityView software upgrade for a cost not-to-exceed $8,260. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-12. Consider Approval of Dedication of a Portion of the Right-of-Way on Denton Road, North of Proctor Road. (MSD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to authorize the Township Supervisor and Clerk to sign the quit claim deed for the transfer of the right-of-way parcel on Denton Road, north of Proctor Road on behalf of Canton Township. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-13. Authorize the Purchase of (2) Park Utility Vehicles. (CLS)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Sneideman to authorize the purchase of two (2) Park Utility Vehicles at $8,500 per unit price for a purchase order total of $17,000 to be paid from Parks Capital Outlay Machinery and Equipment Account 101-270-50.970_0030. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-14. Consider Authorization of Youth Sports Agreements. (CLS)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Sneideman to authorize Youth Sports Agreements with the Canton Victory Hockey Association, the Greater Canton Youth Baseball and Softball Association and Canton Lions Football Club with each agreement being valid January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017. Motion carried by all members present. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to authorize Youth Sports Agreement with the Canton Soccer Club with the agreement being valid one year beginning January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-15. Consider Award for Cleaning HVAC Ductwork at Fire Stations 1, 2, & 3. (CLS)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to award the cleaning of the HVAC ductwork at Fire Stations 1, 2 & 3 to Dalton Environmental, P.O. Box 379, Whitmore Lake, MI 48189 in the amount of $7,387 with funds to be paid from Account #206-336-50.930_0020, Fire - Maintenance & Repair Buildings. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-16. Consider approval of LiveDiscounts Contract. (CLS)** Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the agreement with LiveDiscounts for the 2015 sale of golf certificates for Pheasant Run Golf Club. Motion carried by all members present. **Item G-17. Approval of 2015 software Maintenance Agreements. (FBD)** Motion by Bennett, supported by Sneideman to approve the software maintenance agreements to the following Vendors:

Cityworks	Work Orders, Service Requests	5/29/14 - 5/28/15	40,000
ESRI	Geographic Information Systems	3/28/15 - 3/27/16	28,482
Van Belkum	NICE Recording System Server support	4/18/14 - 4/18/15	6,100
L3 Communications	Mobile-Vision Server Support	10/3/15 - 10/2/16	6,100

Motion carried by all members present. **ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENT:** None **OTHER:** Director Bilbrey-Honsowetz commented the Easter Eggstravaganza is on Saturday March 28 from 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. in Heritage Park. Clerk Bennett commented the Easter Bunny Breakfast is sold out. Treasurer McLaughlin stated the Township Administration Building will be closed on Friday April 3, 2015 in observance of the Good Friday Holiday **ADJOURN:** Motion by Bennett, supported by Anthony to adjourn at 8:07 p.m. Motion carried by all members present. _____**Terry G. Bennett, Clerk**

Copies of the complete text of the Board Minutes are available at the Clerk's office of the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd, Canton, MI 48188, 734-394-5120, during regular business hours and can also be accessed through our web site www.canton-mi.org after Board Approval. Publish: April 2, 2015 EC040215-1109 5 x 10.937

Canton - Plymouth

Sidewalk repairs set for township subdivisions

Canton Township residents who notice a green dot or two painted on their sidewalk can expect to receive a bill for repairs to the walkway. If the dots are red, the township will be paying for the repairs.

The township is expected to pay about $493,500 for sidewalk repairs bo Mattioli Cement Co. of Fenton for sidewalk repairs in forest Trails, Hampton Court, Hampton Court West, all seven Windsor Park subdivisions and the Mayfair Village subdivisions. Most of the repair work will be billed back to residents, however, according to Supervisor Phil LaJoy. The township will pay for repairs deemed to be the responsibility of the municipality and residents do have the option of using a contractor of their own choosing and paying directly for the repairs.

About 1,000 homeowners will pay an average of $250 for the repairs to sidewalks that have been damaged by weather and wear or that slope enough to contain standing water. The sidewalk repair program in the township has been in effect for about 16 years and began in the oldest township areas which were inspected to determine where work was needed. This year, commercial properties and businesses will also be affected by the planned repairs which had previously been limited to residential sidewalks in neighborhoods.

Canton hosted a public hearing on the sidewalk program last week which was sparsely attended. To request a second sidewalk inspection, residents can call (734) 394-5158.

The sidewalk repairs are slated to begin in May.

Settlement reached for defective roof material

Plymouth Township will receive $127,000 toward the repair of the peeling paint on the metal roof of Township Hall and Fire Station No. 1.

The funds will come following the settlement of a warranty claim on the green metal roof filed by the township against Berridge Manufacturing Co. which made the roofing material, installed in 2006. The manufacturer guaranteed the roofing material for 20 years. The $127,000 is the estimated cost of sandblasting and re-coating the 33,500 square foot roof on the Township Hall and fire station.

Plymouth Township first filed a warranty claim in July of 2013 but was offered only the cost of the original roofing materials, about $40,000, minus depreciation for a total settlement offer of $23,811. The township rejected that offer and had the roofing professionally inspected and tested by Roofing Technology Associates who found that 82 percent of the panels on township hall and 93 percent of those on the fire station were defective. Berridge agreed to the new settlement amount after seeing copies of those studies.

Canton Township attorney Greg Demopoulos represented Plymouth Township and recommended the settlement noting that taking the case to court could result in less money from the manufacturer. As part of the agreement, the township must release Berridge from any further claims under the warranty along with Roofing Technology, the roofer who installed the materials.

Grants

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individuals and families with utility shutoffs, eviction notices, food, and clothing. In May, the St. John Neumann Journey to Housing program placed its first family as part of the program which helps the homeless become financially stable during a period of 18 months to two years. Weekly in-home case management offers assistance in developing budgets and formulating goals for each family.

"In the last several weeks we've had four homeless individuals come to our office in search of help," said Marie Morrow, Plymouth Community United Way president. 'Journey to Housing helps families regain stability."

Today, Journey to Housing is preparing to place a fourth homeless family in a house thanks to PCUW and donations from St. John Neumann parishioners.

"The first three are doing well, still in their homes and we're leading them to financial independence. Plymouth Community United Way makes it possible to support this special work," said Zaksek. "There's definitely an increase in homeless people in Western Wayne County because of the difficult financial times we've experienced. They've lost jobs. We're seeing people living in cars, couch surfing where they're sent from one family member to another."

In an effort to address these issues, grants were awarded to organizations committed to creating lasting change. Among the recipients were Plymouth-Canton Community Schools (after-school tutoring program, Student Voice Leadership Group to teach skills and promote philanthropy through a hands-on service project, and GED study and test materials to enable adults to graduate). Growth Works provided substance abuse/dependency rehabilitation for youth and adults.

Additionally, Plymouth Canton United Way raised funds for partner agencies such as First Step, Angela Hospice, The Salvation Army Plymouth Corps, Community Opportunity Center (services for the mentally challenged), Plymouth Community Council on Aging, Plymouth Family YMCA, and Human Services Collaborative (assists in crises cases). When families are in crisis they frequently need help from more than one agency. The nonprofits offer a variety of services from transportation for senior citizens to shelter and counseling for victims of domestic violence and their children.

Plymouth Community United Way raises funds year round to support programs for youth, senior citizens, developmentally disabled adults, and low-income and homeless individuals and families. To donate online visit www.plymouthunitedway.org or mail a check to the office at 960 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Suite 2, Plymouth, MI 48170. For more information, call (734) 453-6879.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Charter Township of Canton will provide necessary, reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon a two week notice to the Charter Township of Canton. These services include signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Charter Township of Canton by writing or calling the following:

Gwyn Belcher, ADA Coordinator
Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road
Canton, MI 48188
(734) 394-5260

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PY2015 CDBG ACTION PLAN

On April 22 2015, at 2 p.m. in Meeting Room D, lower level, Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan, there will be a public hearing on the PY 2015 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) project proposals. The purpose of the Action Plan is to identify projects and project funding levels for the PY 2015 CDBG program. The initial funding requests are: First Step, $35,000; Growth Works, $4,000; Neighborhood Legal Services Michigan, $20,500; Wayne-Metropolitan Community Action Agency, $15,000; Canton Township Leisure Services Tutoring Services, $8,000; Summit Scholarships, $2,500; Partnership for the Arts , $75,000; Affordable Housing Activities (housing rehabilitation), $100,000; ADA Projects $100,000,Program administration, $66,000. Not all project proposals are necessarily listed, and not all projects will be approved or funded at the requested amounts. The PY 2015 CDBG allocation is approximately $330,769. Written comments or requests for information should be directed to: Mike Sheppard, Financial Analyst, Finance Department, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan 48188-1699, (734) 394-5225.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, April 16, 2015 for the following:

KUBOTA CAB TRACTOR & GROOMING MOWER

Bids may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department, on our website at www.canton-mi.org, or you may contact Mike Sheppard at: 734/394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G. BENNETT, CLERK

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, April 28, 2015, at 7 p.m. in the First Floor Meeting Room at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton Michigan as part of its regular meeting.

The purpose of the public hearing will be to consider a request from G-Tac, for an Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate for real and personal property at their facility located at 7075 Commerce Drive within the Northeast Canton Industrial Development District, the legal description of which is as follows:

Situated in the Township of Canton, Wayne County, Michigan, described as:
Legal Description: 12K1B2A,M1B1,O1L1B2A
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Charter Township of Canton

Notice of Public Accuracy Test

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Clerk's Office will conduct a Public Accuracy Test of the Optical Scan tabulating equipment to be used for the Special Election to be held on Tuesday, May 5, 2015. The test will take place on **Thursday, April 9, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.** in the **Clerk's Office**, in the Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road. This test is open to all interested parties. For further information, contact the Clerk's Office at 734-394-5120.

Terry G. Bennett, Clerk

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
INVITATION TO BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, April 16, 2015 for the following:

FLOOR DRAIN RECONSTRUCTION FIRE STATION 1

Bids may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department, on our website at www.canton-mi.org, or you may contact Mike Sheppard at: 734/394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G. BENNETT, CLERK

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S., Canton, Michigan will accept sealed proposals at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, April 16, 2015 for the following:

State Lobbying and Information Services

Proposals may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department, on our website at www.canton-mi.org, or you may contact Mike Sheppard at: 734/394-5225. All proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G. BENNETT, CLERK

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, April 28, 2015, at 7 p.m. in the First Floor Meeting Room at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton Michigan as part of its regular meeting.

The purpose of the public hearing will be to consider a request from Fraza Forklifts, for an Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate for real and personal property at their facility located at 6865 Commerce Drive within the Northeast Canton Industrial Development District, the legal description of which is as follows:

Situated in the Township of Canton, Wayne County, Michigan, described as:
Legal Description: 12K1B2B,K1D1,K1E1,M1B2,O1L1D1
PT NE 1/4 & NW 1/4 SEC 12
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BELLEVILLE - NORTHVILLE - ROMULUS

Fire department sponsors Citizens Fire Academy

The Van Buren Township Fire Department will conduct the third Citizen's Fire Academy class beginning this month. The nine-week academy meets from 6:30-9:30 p.m. Wednesday nights from April 30 through June 13. There are three Saturday classes from 8:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. on May 2, June 6 and June 13.

The classes afford participants the opportunity to learn the tactics and strategies involved in firefighting and rescue operations through both classroom and hands-on sessions.

"The academy exists to provide insight into the inner workings of the Van Buren Township Fire Department and to better inform the community it serves about the multitude of services it provides, according to Fire Chief Dan Besson. Participants will have the opportunity to receive CPR certification and AED training, as well as the knowledge of how to react positively in the event of a fire or medical emergency and how to select and use the proper fire extinguisher. Highlights of the class include live fire training and the opportunity to "work" a shift and ride-along on emergency calls, he said.

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All academy instructors are members of the Van Buren Township Fire Department and have attained a minimum certification of State of Michigan Firefighter II and, in most cases, much higher levels of certification and instruction have been attained, according to Battalion Chief Ron Folks.

"These highly qualified personnel are committed to providing information to participants in a professional manner, with the intent of providing individualized instruction to every participant. A realistic balance of classroom time and practical exercises makes the course both informative and interesting. To this end, class size is limited, allowing for good interaction between instructors and participants while maintaining a safe learning environment," Folks said in a prepared release.

The Citizens Fire Academy is open to anyone 18 or older who lives or works in Van Buren Township and has no prior felony convictions. A routine police background check is part of the selection process. Classes are limited to 20 students and this is a free program.

Applications are available at Van Buren Fire Station One, 45400 Hull Road, fire station number two 7981 Belleville Road and the Van Buren Township Police Station,46425 Tyler Road.

All applications must be returned to fire sStation one or two by Friday April 17. For additional information, email Folks at rfolks@vanburen-mi.org or Besson at dbesson@vanburen-mi.org or call (734) 699-8916.

Romulus student proves college star

Cierra Bond, a 5-foot, 9-inch tall freshman shooting guard has helped lead the South Georgia Technical College Lady Jets to a 17th place seed in the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Division I women's national basketball tournament.

Bond, who played at Romulus High School, started for the Lady Jets in the championship game and scored nine points and had five rebounds in that Lady Jets' win. She earned a starting position for the Lady Jets toward the end of the season as a freshman. She has started the last seven games, which allowed the Lady Jets to capture the National Junior College Athletic Association Region XVII tournament title and the District J championship on the road to the Division I women's basketball national tournament. She is averaging 8.6 points per game this season as well as 4.5 rebounds.

"Both Cierra Bond and Deanna Williams were able to come in as freshman and make a difference in our program," said South Georgia Technical College Athletic Director and Lady Jets women's basketball coach James Frey. "We had only one starter returning from our 30 - 5 performance last season so these girls had some big shoes to fill."

Cierra is shooting 44.5 percent from the floor and is a 28.9 percent three-point shooter. She has also made 64 percent of her free throws, said Frey.

The Lady Jets are currently 27 - 7 on the season. They finished second in the Georgia Collegiate Athletic Association (GCAA) regular season but upset top-seeded Darton State College in the NJCAA Region XVII tournament to advance to the District J competition.

Cierra Bond

Entries now being accepted for Northville art show

The Northville Art House is now accepting entries in the 7th Annual West of Center exhibition.

This year, Topher Crowder has been selected as the juror for the show which is open to area artists who can submit up to three original works in any media created within the last two years.

Crowder is a visual artist known for his unique and visually stunning art work. His work has been shown extensively in galleries and museums across the United States. He earned both a bachelors and masters of fine arts degree from Wayne State University. He has published books of photography and currently resides on the shores of Lake Michigan.

West of Center is a nod to both the location of the Art House as well as the mission of the facility to bring the community something unexpected, edgy and compelling - an eclectic, contemporary art exhibit that showcases a wide range of accomplished pieces. In years past, West of Center has featured bronze, glass, mosaic, graphite, wood, acrylic, mixed media, assemblage, photography and more.

First place award at the show includes $300, second place a $100 prize and third and fourth place winners will each receive $50.

Applications with jpegs on CDs must be hand-delivered or shipped to the Northville Art House to arrive no later than 3:30 p.m. by April 11. Applications are available on the Art House website at www.NorthvilleArtHouse.org. For additional information, e-mail the Northville Art House at Exhibits@NorthvilleArtHouse.org or call (248) 344-0497.

The show will open with a 6 p.m. reception, First Friday, June 5, and will continue through June 27.

The Northville Art House is located at 215 W. Cady St. in Northville. Hours are from noon until 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and from noon until 4 p.m. Saturday.

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1. Obituaries

Delores Champ
Sunrise: June 9, 1933
Sunset: March 13, 2015

Delores Champ died March 13, 2015.
She was preceded in death by her parents Ed and Ruby Paul; two sisters, Verna Jean Barksdale and Rita Paul, and three granddaughters, Keshia, Shavonne and Keyonna.
Mrs. Champ graduated from Inkster High School and moved to Chicago where she worked at Zenith, Hart Schafner & Marx and the Phase II Lounge.
Among her survivors are two daughters, Cheryl Lynn Champ of Chicago and and Karen Mare champ of Columbus, GA; two sons, Darryl Bernard Paul of Chicago and Darvis Shane Jones of Inkster; a brother-in-law, Edward Barksdale of Inkster; nine grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; four dear friends, Ms. Finley, Ms. B, Ms. Diane and Ms. Emma; her special friend Chester from Thompson Tower, and many other friends.
Funeral services took place at the Penn Funeral Home on Inkster Road with the Rev. George V. Williams officiating.

Lillie Mae Scales
April 24, 1934
March 14, 2015
Lillie Mae Scales died March 14, 2015.
Mrs. Scales, affectionately known as Suga, was a dedicated nurse's assistant and an usher for Gethsemane Missionary Baptist Church.
She was preceded in death by her husband, James Douglas Scales, Sr. and her mother, Alberta Harris.
Among her survivors left to cherish her memory are her children, James (Cherie), Debbie (Jerome), Rodney (Sonya), Todd, Steven (Mae), Jerome (Ursula), Gerald (Kim) and Dwight; to grandchildren; two great-grandchildren, and a host of friends.
Funeral services took place at the Penn Funeral Home on Inkster Road in Inkster with Dr. Tereasa Moton and the Rev. Terrence Taylor officiating.
Interment was at United Memorial Gardens in Plymouth.

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Louidene Spikes
March 25, 1943
Sunset: March 19, 2015
Louidene Spikes died March 19, 2015.
Mrs. Spikes was born to Robert and Edna Fleming in Natchez, MS. Her family relocated to Inkster and she graduated from Roosevelt High School in 1959.
She began her career with Wayne County General Hospital in 1968 and retired after 20 years of service when she began a second career as an agent with Century 21.
In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her son, Kirk Jones and a sister, Marie Payne.
Among her survivors are her loving husband, Ernest Spikes; four sons, Quincy Jones, Jr., Brian Jones, Marcus (Linda) Hendricks and Morice Hendricks; a daughter, Audra Spikes; two brothers, James (Barbara) Fleming and Freddie (Lisa) Jackson; 14 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other family members, and many friends.
Funeral services took place at the Penn Funeral Home on Inkster Road in Inkster with the Rev. Arthur C. Willis, Dr. officiating.
Interment was at Sunset Hills in Ypsilanti.

Mary Ann Tanner
Sunrise: Aug. 10, 2015
Sunset: March 17, 2015
Mary Ann Tanner died March 17, 2015.
Mrs. Tanner was the daughter of Lorenzo Winfrey and Hattie Eubanks who preceded her in death along with her husband, Roy Tanner; four brothers, Raydell, Johnny, Charles and James Winfrey; two children, Edward Brady and Helen Brady.
Mrs. Tanner moved to Michigan in 1948 and worked at Sinai Hospital as a dietician and as a caregiver at numerous nursing facilities. She also owned a custom drapery company.
Mrs. Tanner was a foster parent to several children and was also an active participant in the American Legion Auxiliary and was president of the Charles Young Post for many years.
Among those left to cherish her memory are her daughter, Ferenia Burleigh; four grandchildren, Richard Martin, William (Karen) Burleigh, Jr., Kevin (Robin) Burleigh and La Nita (Troy) Aiken; 12 great grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; a goddaughter, Nina Burleigh; a daughter-in-law, Mattie Brady; a host of extended family grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and other family members, and many friends.
Funeral services took place at the Penn Funeral Home on South Inkster Road in Inkster.

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Calendar of events

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Tax return preparation will be available from 9 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. on Tuesdays through April 14 at the Summit on the Park.

The service is provided in cooperation with the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP).

Complicated and/or joint return appointments must be scheduled for morning appointments. Schedule your appointment by phone at (734) 394-5485.

Cruise raffle tickets on sale

Tickets for the 6th annual Michigan Philharmonic Cruise Raffle are now on sale. This year, the raffle prize is a Viking River Boat cruise - "The Danube Waltz" - sailing through European cities of Passau, Vienna, and Budapest Aug. 16-23 with an optional three-day pre-tour in the city of Prague. The raffle winner wins the Viking River Cruise for two in addition to round-trip airfare for two.

Tickets for the Cruise Raffle are $50 and only 400 will be sold. The drawing will take place April 11 at the Michigan Philharmonic Springtime Swan Song concert at the Village Theater. For cruise and raffle information, contact the Michigan Philharmonic at (734) 451-2112 or www.michiganphil.org or Kate Rosevear and ask for MicPhil Cruise at Travel Leaders, 44427-B W. Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth, (734) 455-5810 or 1 800 874-6470.

Tax preparation offered

AARP tax preparation will be offered free to Westland residents at the Friendship Center. This is a E-file service only and appointments are necessary.

Generally, the tax return service offered through AARP is for simple returns. Those individuals with lengthy returns, many rental properties or investments are encouraged to have a CPA or professional firm complete their returns. There is no age or income requirement. The site manager has discretion over what returns they are willing and able to complete.

Taxes this year will be done on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Call (734) 722-7628 for an appointment. Preparers are only on site during the day the center offers the service so any tax question regarding a return must be taken by a staff person, and returned by a preparer at their convenience.

Picturing Music to be topic

The Romulus Public Library will host a speaker from the Detroit Institute of Arts who will discuss the presence of music in visual arts. The event is planned for 6:30 p.m. April 6 and will explore the way music heightens awareness across cultures.

Registration for the free talk is available at the library circulation desk or by calling the library at (734) 942-7589. Space is limited.

The event is sponsored by the Friends of the Library

The Romulus Public Library is located at 11121 Wayne Road in Romulus.

Arts club hosts speaker

The Three Cities Art Club will host artist Tracy Gallup, a book illustrator, doll maker and author for a discussion from 7-9 p.m. April 6 at Canton Township Hall.

Gallup works in two and three dimensions creating doll-like figures and paintings which come to life in her stories. Her books include A Roomful of Questions, Stone Crazy, Shell Crazy, Tree Crazy, Snow Crazy and King Cat.

Her talk will include a slide presentation of the progression of her dolls, paintings, and illustrations over the past 25 years, and her thoughts on creative expression, finding a personal voice and one's place in the arts.

The public is welcome to attend this free event at Canton Township Hall in a lower level meeting room, located at 1150 Canton Center Road, south of Cherry Hill. Light refreshments will be served.

For more information, contact Marilyn Meredith at (313) 231-3939. To learn more about the art club visit www.threecitiesartclub.org.

Senator hosts office hour

Sen. Patrick Colbeck, R-Canton will host office hours from 607 p.m. Monday, April 6, at the Plymouth District Library, 223 South Main St. Plymouth.

Colbeck will be available to answer questions and respond to concerns any residents of his district may have.

This is an opportunity for local residents to meet with Colbeck to address issues related to state government. No appointment is necessary.

For more information or to contact Colbeck, visit www.senatorpatrickcolbeck.com or call (517) 373-5713.

Church serves chicken supper

Willow United Methodist Church will serve a family style Chicken Supper from 5 p.m. until sold out April 8 at the church, 36925 Willow Road in New Boston.

The menu includes fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, biscuits and gravy, cole slaw, dinner rolls, dessert, coffee, hot tea and milk.

Cost for the dinner is $10 for adults and $5 for children younger than 12.

For more information, contact the church at (734) 654-9020.

Meet Your Leaders planned

The Wayne Chamber of Commerce is planning a Meet Your Leaders Luncheon set to begin at 11:30 a.m. April 9 at Wayne Tree Manor, 35100 Van Born Road in Wayne.

Specials guests will include Wayne Mayor James Hawley, City Manager David M. Murphy and Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors President Pastor Dave Furno.

Tickets are $25 for chamber members and $30 for non-members and due at the door. Reservations should be made in advance at (734) 721-0100 or by contacting DonNicholson.net.

Benefit for school set

Grace Community Church will present Variations, a benefit to help support Grace Community School at 4 p.m. April 11.

The church is a multicultural, multiracial faith community, according to Pastor Bill Hales. The fundraiser will include music, poetry reading and other entertainment at a location to be determined, he said.

For more information visit gracecommunitychurch4u.com.

Autism fundraiser planned

A fundraising event to benefit the Autism programs at the Van Buren Public Schools, Burger School for Students with Autism and Webster Elementary School will take place beginning at 4 p.m. April 11 at the Van Buren Eagles Hall, 9961 Beck Road in Belleville.

Tickets are $20 if purchased in advance and $25 at the door. The evening will include 50/50 raffles, a social hour, presentations, dinner, a live auction and a DJ and karaoke.

For more information, contact (734) 629-7122.

Photography club to meet

The only 3D photography club in Michigan will meet from 7 until 9:30 p.m. April 8, at the Livonia Civic Park Senior Center, 15218 Farmington Road, just south of Five Mile Road.

Meetings include a 3D program, refreshment break, and a competition among members. Stereo cameras, 3D movies and educational videos are available for members to rent.

The program for the meeting will be a presentation of the winning entries from the annual stereo sequence competition. A club competition with the theme "Reflections" will conclude the meeting.

All meetings are free to attend, and visitors are always welcome.

For more information, visit http://www.detroit3d.org/www.Detroit3D.org, or call Dennis Green at (248) 398-3591.

Philharmonic concert set

The Michigan Philharmonic Orchestra will present the Springtime Swan Song concert beginning at 7:30 p.m. April 11 at The Village Theater at Cherry Hill in Canton.

The concert will feature Norman Fischer on cello and the music of Tchaikovsky's Swan Lake.

For ticketing prices, purchase or information, call (734) 451-2112 or visit www.michiganphil.org.

QED presented in Plymouth

Barefoot Productions will present QED for one weekend only at 240 N. Main St. in Plymouth.

Curtain time will be 8 p.m. April 10 and 11 and 2 p.m. April 12.

Gerneral admission is $15 or $13 for students with identification.

To order tickets, call the box office at (734)560-1493 or purchase them online at www.justgobarefoot.com.

The play is a nearly one-man show about physicist Richard Feymans, life theories and experiences.

T-Ball registration under way

Registration is now under way for the City of Plymouth 5 and 6 year-olds co-ed T-Ball league.

Registration will continue until April 10 and will be accepted at the recreation office during front counter hours, noon -4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday or online [https://plymouthwebtrac.net/].

First time users of the electronic registration system should email recreation@ci.plymouth.mi.us to set up a user name and password or call(734) 455-6620.

Players must be born July-December 2008, January-December 2009, or January-July 2010.

The recreation office is located at 525 Farmer in Plymouth.

Volunteer coaches are also needed and head coaches' children play for free. The fee for City of Plymouth residents is $65 and for non residents the fee is $85.

Chamber plans night at races

The horses may be about two weeks late crossing the finishing line, but odds are no one will be complaining during the Kentucky Derby: A Night at the Races planned for 6:30 p.m. April 18.

The event is the 28th annual dinner and auction organized by the Canton Chamber of Commerce. Tickets to the event, planned at Burton Manor, are priced at $75 per person and feature an open bar, a strolling dinner, live auctions and raffles, along with entertainment for the expected crowd. Organizers said that there will be video footage every half hour of past horse races from various tracks and those in attendance can "bet" on their favorites to win, place and show and win prizes during the evening.

Auction items this year include jewelry, condominium time shares and tickets to sporting events along with a pair of airline tickets any destination in the continental United States. The event is sponsored this year by Jack Demmer Ford, Inc. and Oakwood Healthcare Systems.

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